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second-class matter.]

West Point, Va.

Located in the good old county of King

William, at the head of navigation on that

grand little river, the York, which is but 45

miles in length with a width of two and one

half miles is the thriving little town of West

Point. The depth of water here is about 25

feet, sufficient to float the largest steamers,

the shipping being one of the main features

of the town, which has for over 30 years been

connected with Richmond by a railroad 39

miles long. Several years ago its popula-
tion numbered a few hundred, now it counts

3,000. Then it was an insignificant steam-
boat landing and railroad station, now it is a

foreign shipping port with extensive wharf-
age, and is one of the terminals of the great

Richmond and Danville railroad system.

The immense freights brought here by rail

are handled promptly and shipped without

delay; a large force of hands is necessary

and the general push and remarkable ac-
tivity is wonderful. Good pay is given and

rapid work is expected. Cotton shipments

to Europe are very heavy from this port.

The last steamer carried over 6,000

bales as well as quantities of tobacco in

hogheads, and other merchandise. Large

steamers from Baltimore daily arrive

filled with freights for southern points.

There are two large steam cotton com-
press companies here, and a large bale of

cotton is pressed into about one third its

usual size, thereby enabling a steamer to

carry over double the number of bales than

under the old system.

West Point is delightfully situated and

but for the several swamps on either side of

the town would present a neat appearance

as you enter it. Soon, however, these must

be filled up and built over to accommodate

the railroad and steamboat business. The

salt water tide flows in and out daily and it

is said that the swamps are not unhealthy.

The general health of the place is now good

and has been since the sinking of the artesian

wells which supply the purest water from

an average depth of 200 feet. There are

now over one hundred artesian wells in the

town constantly pouring forth their

streams of pure water, which flow about

twelve feet above tide level. The town is

lighted by electricity, as are also the wharves,

boats and many private residences. The

land improvement company, a Virginia en-
terprise, is now laying off large additions to

the town in the elevated and beautifully

situated western section. Streets, parks, &c.,
are being surveyed and a number of

buildings are in course of erection. There

are four hotels here, the last built, "The

Terminal," being of large propor-
tions and beautifully designed. It has

just been completed at a cost of \$35,000, and

it is situated on the beach fronting the York

flanked on either side by the Mattaponi and

Pamunkey rivers. It is to be used as a sum-
mer resort, is owned by Richmond and Dan-
ville capitalists, and will be run in a luxuri-
ous manner. It is lighted throughout by

electricity and equipped with every modern

convenience. There are a number of small

factories here, and it is important that

others should be opened up. The only hos-
iery factory in the State is located here; it

has been in operation over two years and is

being enlarged, and will be furnished with

the latest improved machinery. The oyster

AUCTION SALES.

THE UNDERSIGNED, as administrator of

Thos. M. McCormick, deceased, trustee in a

deed of trust from Wm. E. Echols, dated 20th day

of October, 1854, and recorded in Liber K. No. 3,

page 316, will sell at public auction, in front of

the Fairfax street entrance to the Market build-
ing, at ten o'clock on SATURDAY, the 9th day of

June, 1888, the TENEMENT and LOT OF

GROUND, in the city of Alexandria, Va., on the

East side of Alfred street, between Duke and

Prince streets, beginning at the west side of Al-
fred street at the distance of 45 feet south of the

middle of the square between Prince and Duke

streets, and running west parallel to Duke street

100 feet to a court 46 feet 10 inches wide; then

parallel to Alfred street 25 feet 4 inches to an

alley—feet; width east parallel to Duke street to the

Alfred street; then with Alfred street to the

beginning, with the use of said court and alley.

Terms of Sale: For cash as to so much of the

proceeds as may be necessary to defray the ex-
pense of executing this trust and to discharge

the amount of money due, to wit: \$1,179.69, be-
ing the principal and interest to date of sale.

ap 9 TS WM. E. FENDALL, Administrator.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE CORPORATION

Court of the city of Alexandria rendered on the

13th day of April, 1888, in the chancery

case No. 10, against Thomas Devitt's ex-
ecutor and others, the undersigned, who was ap-
pointed commissioner of sale by said decree, will

offer at private sale, and if not sold, by that date,

then will offer for sale at public auction, at twelve

o'clock on that day, in front of the Royal street

entrance to the Market Building, the following

described real estate, to wit:

No. 1—ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND WITH

THE BRICK STORE and other improvements

thereon, situate at the northeast corner of Duke

and Alfred streets, fronting on Duke street 82

feet 10 inches, and 88 feet deep to an alley.

No. 2—ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND AND

IMPROVEMENTS situate at the southeast corner

of Duke and Alfred streets, fronting on Duke

street 25 feet 11 inches, and 88 feet deep to a 12-

feet alley.

No. 3—ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND AND

IMPROV